

REMARKS

This Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action of June 17, 2010 in which claims 1, 3, 10-15, 17, 24-29, 31 and 38-43 were rejected and claims 2, 4, 16, 18, 30 and 32 objected to.

In the Office Action the Examiner now considered claims 2, 4, 16, 18, 30 and 32 to be allowable if re-written in independent form.

In response to the Office Action, claims 2, 16 and 30 have been incorporated in the respective independent claims.

The objections and rejections of the Office Action of June 17, 2010, having been obviated by amendment or shown to be inapplicable, withdrawal thereof is requested and passage of claims 1, 3-4, 10-15, 17-18, 24-29, 31-32, and 38-43 to issue is earnestly solicited.

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